

Application No. 09/680.118
Amendment "G" dated July 20, 2005,
Reply to Office Action mailed July 14, 2005

REMARKS

The Office Action, mailed July 14, 2005, considered claims 1-25 and 27-30. Of those claims, claims 1, 14, 17, 19, and 25 were objected to for apparently using the term "that" improperly. Claim 17 was also rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

Proposed amendments to claims 1, 14, 17, 19 and 25 were discussed with the Examiner during an in person interview on July 19, 2005. These amendments, which are reflected above, were found to place the claims and application in condition for allowance.¹

In view of the forgoing, Applicants respectfully submit that the application is in immediate condition for allowance.

In the event that the Examiner finds remaining impediment to a prompt allowance of this application that may be clarified through a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney.

Dated this 20th day of July, 2005.

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¹ It will be noted, however, that although Applicants do not feel that the use of the term "that" was improperly used or that claim 17 was indefinite, the claims have been amended to expedite the allowance of the case and because the amendments made by this paper merely reword limitations that were already present, without narrowing the scope of the claims.